

# FUNNYGRAPHS.

Edwina—"Don't you think short skirts make a woman look shorter?" Ethel—"Yes; but they make the men look longer."—Typographical Journal.

She—"Our minister does not jump at conclusions." He—"I should say not. I never knew him to reach a conclusion in less than an hour."—Brooklyn Life.

Bondley—"How did Wall Street get its name? There is no wall there." Stockstand—"Yes there is. I went to it about a month after I began to speculate."—Up-to-Date.

Not His Fault—"I've been riding on the elevated for five years, and I've never offered a lady a seat." "Then you've never had any manners." "That isn't it. I've never yet had a seat."—Harlem Life.

She felt his breath upon her cheek. "Sir!" she protested, "you are going too far!" That was what his breath would indicate; but according to the cyclometer their tandem had covered but a paltry of 481 miles.—Detroit Journal.

"Say, Jimmy, you must excuse me. Tillie Jukes said you was whistling at de alley door las' evenin', but I didn't hear nuthin'." "What wuz ee matter wid yer lis'ners?" Say, don't you notice I'm wearin' me hair in de Cleo style?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Smythe—"I wonder what idiot originated the phrase, 'There's no accounting for taste.'" Tompkins—"Why? Smythe—Because I'd like to get at him! I've just been accounting to the milliner and modesty for my wife's taste."—Brooklyn Life.

A Study in Motive—"Say, old man, just supposing I had the choice, would you advise me to marry an ugly girl with money, or a pretty girl without money?" "A pretty girl without money, by all means. That would give you the name of having money yourself."—Detroit Journal.

"Charley," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I have made a discovery." "I hope it isn't anything about athletics," replied her husband, apprehensively. "It is, though. I know now why nature doesn't put any hair on the heads of young children. It is to keep them from becoming football players too early in life."—Washington Star.

X, who has not a reputation for scrupulous cleanliness, arrived the other day at the chateau of —, and some jokers had the curiosity to examine his valise, where they observed the absence of hair brush or tooth brush. "How is that," said a guest to him, "you have not brought a toothbrush." "Oh, no," answered X. "But then I expected to stay only four days."—Le Figaro.

"Dear," she said softly, according to the Cleveland Plain Dealer, "I have cruelly deceived you." His brow darkened. He had heard such talk before on the stage. "Go on," he hissed. "I—I told you," she stammered, "that I had taken a course of lessons at the cooking school. It was false!" He staggered back. Then the full meaning of her confession dawned upon him. With a wild cry of joy he strained her to his exulting heart.

She was the daughter of a street railway magnate. And the good-looking young man had just kissed her. A moment later he looked in her eyes with a disappointed expression. "Can't you pay that back?" he murmured. The lovely girl tossed her head. "I believe," she said, "that you favor lower fares?" "Yes," he reluctantly admitted, "I do." "Then," she said, haughtily, "you need not expect no transfers on this system." And the young man knew that the magnates had won another round.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## BUTTONS MADE OF MILK.

A Factory in Holland Engaged in Their Manufacture.

For a long time buttons and other articles for which bone is generally used have been made from congealed blood, purchased from the slaughter houses, and treated with some substance that hardens it to the sufficient consistency, says the Philadelphia Times. The same articles can be made from milk by a process invented by an Englishman. The milk used is skim-milk. The process of turning this milk into buttons, pool balls, combs, backs of hair brushes and similar articles consists of mixing it with a substance, the ingredients of which are a secret of the inventor, and compressing it. At the end of three days the substance is as solid as celluloid and is ready to be cut and shaped in any way the manufacturer wishes. At present a factory in Holland is engaged in fashioning the hardened milk into various articles, buttons being the chief. The buttons made in this way differ very little in appearance from the ordinary bone buttons. They are creamy white in appearance, but can be colored black or red or any other color by simply mixing the coloring matter with the milk before the hardening process begins. They are said to possess advantages over the bone and celluloid articles in being less brilliant and less liable to chip. For combs the milk substance is said to be especially well adapted, as it is smooth and delicate to the touch, and derives from its creamy origin a glossy surface. In the same way it is a good substitute for ivory in billiard and pool balls.

## His Little Lesson.

It seemed to him an excellent time to impress the lesson upon her, so as he started for his hat he said to her: "Suppose you had wanted me to spend the evening with you before we were married and I had planned to do something else?"

"Suppose I had," she returned.

"What of it?"

"You wouldn't have sulked, would you?" he asked.

"No-o, I suppose not," she replied, hesitatingly.

"You wouldn't have got cross and been disagreeable about it, would you?"

"Probably not."

"You would have been just as nice and sweet and clever as you could possibly be," he asserted. "You would have been both lovable and loving and would have tried to coax me to give up my plans. Isn't that so?"

"Perhaps it is," she faltered, "but—"

"Never mind the 'buts,'" he interrupted, feeling that he was gaining his point. "What I am trying to impress upon you is that a woman doesn't seem to think it worth while to try the same arts on a husband that she does on a lover. That's where you're both foolish and unjust. Now, you admit that before marriage—"

"Before marriage," she broke in, "if you had spoken of going anywhere and I had pouted just the least little bit, what would you have done?"

"Um—ah—well. I suppose—"

"If you had noticed what seemed to be even the barest trace of a tear what would have happened?"

"Why, my dear, I—"

"If I had merely looked at you pleadingly what would have happened to that other engagement?"

"Really, you don't give me time to answer. I must confess that in all probability I would have—"

"Given it up, of course," she prompted. "Isn't it worth while to make the same sacrifices for a wife that you would for a sweetheart?"

Somehow he couldn't help feeling that his little lesson was lost on her, but it is worthy of note that he told his business associate the next day that any man who went on the theory that a woman can't reason as clearly as a man was lying up a large store of trouble for himself.—Chicago Post.

## Devilish Definitions.

Paragoric—The crying need of the midnight hour.

Liberty—The right to compel an outsider to vote with the gang.

Legend—A bare-faced lie that has grown old enough to wear whiskers.

Tact—A woman's ability to make friends by laughing at a man's stupid jokes.

Kiss—A simultaneous contraction of the lips and enlargement of the heart.

Egotist—A bicycle crank who thinks his is the only high-grade wheel on the pike.

Insomnia—Something that keeps a man's wife awake until he comes home in the morning.

Shark—A man who is always anxious to favor his fellow-man—at the rate of 1 per cent a month.

Crank—The man who always insists upon convincing others, but will not allow himself to be convinced.

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Merchant—You'll do.—Tit-Bits.

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### Notice for Publication.

[Homestead Entry No. 198.]

LAND OFFICE AT FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ.,

October 30, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court at Flagstaff, Ariz., on Saturday Dec. 11, 1897, viz: John C. Mundersbach for the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Sec. 28, Twp. 24 N. R. 5 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: William Friedlein, Henry C. Lockett, Franklin E. Beal, Henry Buckner, all of Flagstaff, Arizona.

FREDERICK A. TRITTLE, Register.

### Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the estate of Charles Reagan deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned executor at his place of business in Milton, Coconino county, Arizona Territory, the same being the place where the business of said administration of said estate is transacted. All claims not presented within the time herein specified will be forever barred from allowance and payment.

Dated at Milton, Coconino county, Arizona Territory, this 15th day of November, 1897. M. J. BRONNAN, Executor with the will annexed of the estate of Charles Reagan deceased. First publication Nov. 4, 1897.

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Notice is hereby given that George Hoffman, administrator of the estate of Mary J. Hoffman, deceased, has filed his petition with the Judge of the probate court of Coconino county, Arizona Territory, asking for an order to sell the following real estate belonging to said estate, to-wit: Lots one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight in block 5 F, in the town of Flagstaff, county of Coconino, Territory of Arizona, at private sale, for the purpose of paying off the indebtedness of said estate.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear before the probate court in the court house in the town of Flagstaff, Coconino county, Arizona Territory, at ten o'clock a. m., on the 8th day of November, 1897, at which time the hearing of said petition will be had, and show cause why said petition should not be granted and said order for the sale of said real estate be made. Given under my hand and seal of office as Probate Judge this 20 day of September, 1897.

N. G. LAYTON, Probate Judge of Coconino county, A. T.

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